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R. M. of Manario

Council meeting held on August 9, at Orange Hall, 10, 26, 29, west of 3rd, at 10 a.m. Present: Reeve Ardell and a full Council. The minutes of the Court of Revision and also of the previous regular meeting of the Council, were read and confirmed.

Jones—That the boundaries of the Glen Almond School District, No. 3170, be altered to include the S. 1 of sections 31, 32, 33 and 34 in twp. 27, rg. 27, in 3rd, in accordance with instructions received from the Dept. of Education.—Car.

Rowles—That assessment No. 804 be reduced to \$2400.—Car.

McWhinney—That the Municipal account be transferred to the Bank of Commerce, at Empress.—Yeas: McWhinney, Rowles and Baynon. Nays: Ardell, Jones, Scott and Harnett. Motion defeated.

Jones—That the offer of the Union Bank of Canada, at Alaskan of a line of credit of \$30,000 at 7 1/2 p.c., as per their letter of July 30, be accepted.—Yeas: Ardell, Jones, Scott and Harnett. Nays: Rowles, McWhinney and Baynon. Car.

Ardell—That the estimates of Clow S.D. 4181, be passed.—Car. The finance committee examined the accounts presented. The following were found correct:

R. May, acct. of Sec-Treas. travelling expenses. 30.00
Sec-Treas. postage and telegrams. 9.00
Sec-Treas. acct salary 80.00
Empress Express, advt. Road Work acct, D.v. 3. 4.00

\$123.00

Harnett.—That these accounts be paid. Car.

The finance committee examined the road work accounts presented; the following were found correct:

Div. V.—Beaver Lumber Co. Lumber for culverts. 41.75
Div. II.—W. H. Bachelor 90.00
Ditto, acct. contract 187.75
Div. III.—Elmer Herp, contract. 200.00

Ditto, J. H. Ross. 40.00
Ditto, A. H. Frost. 3.00
Div. VI.—Day sheet. 66.25

\$28.75
Ardell.—That these accounts be paid.—Car.

McWhinney.—That the following rates be struck for school districts.—Lloyd George: 7 mills; Clifton Bank, 8 mills; Wolf Willow, 3 1/2 mills; Alaskan, 12 mills; Glen Almond, 7 1/2 mills; Craiglands, 5 1/2 mills; Claw, 3 1/2 mills; Chesterfield, 12 1/2 mills; Langloim, 14 mills; Mayfield, 6 1/2 mills.—Car.

Jones.—That the rate for municipal purposes be set at 8 mills.—Car.

Baynon.—That the debenture payment due September 5, of \$570 be paid.—Car.

McWhinney.—That a grant of \$100 be made to the Alaskan Returned Soldiers League.—Yeas: Ardell, Jones, McWhinney, Nays: Baynon, Rowles, Harnett and Scott. Motion defeated.

That \$250 allowed to the amounts agreed on at last meeting be authorized to be expended of the appropriations in Div. 1, 2, 4 and 6.—Car.

Baynon.—That Minute X, of May 10, be rescinded.—Car.

Jones.—That in future a permanent roads committee shall be appointed for the year. This committee shall consist of one Reeve and one Councillor and, together with the Councillor for the Division in which the work is to be done, shall have power to determine the location of the work and to let the same. In the case of the Division, whose representative is permanent member of the roads committee, the Reeve shall appoint another Councillor to act with them in that Division.—Car.

Scott.—That Coun. Jones be a permanent member of the roads committee for this year.—Car.

McWhinney.—That Coun. Scott and Jones be a committee to look up a cemetery site in Div. IV. and report at next meeting.—Car.

Rowles.—That this meeting do now adjourn to meet at the usual time and place on Saturday, September 13.—Car.

C. Evans Sargent, Sec-Treas.

Farwell Social and Tea

On Saturday, August 16, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Dawdy, a farwell social and tea was given in honor of Mrs. S. T. Brown by the Ladies of the Congregation and the ladies of the Daughters of the Empire; Mrs. Brown being an ardent worker and member in both societies. There was a large number of ladies present. A social hour was spent, after which tea was served by Mesdames B. L. and C. W. Dawdy, assisted by Mrs. H. H. Hall. An appreciative address was read by Mrs. Hall, and presentation made to Mrs. Brown, of a Pyrex Casserole. Mrs. Brown expressed her regret at leaving the town, and thanked the ladies for their kindness. The social was concluded by the ladies joining hands and singing, "For She's A Jolly Good Fellow."

United Church

Sunday, August 24.—Sunday School and Adult Bible Class at 11 a.m. Public worship, 7.30 p.m.

Special Music at Evening Service

Mr. Wedgewood Robinson, of Calgary, Alta., Gold Medalist, winner of Alberta Provincial Musical Festival, Lethbridge, 1919, and Pastor Solist, Pro-Cathedral, Calgary.

Mr. Joe Carruthers, Empress, Alta., late Baritone Solist, Pro-Cathedral, Calgary.

PROGRAMME:

Hymn: "Thanks To My Brethren."
Airs: "How Vain Is Man Who Boasts In Fight" (From Julius Macabash).

Mr. Wedgewood Robinson
Hymn: "And As Moses Lifted Up The Serpent."

Mr. Joe Carruthers
Duet: "So Thine Lifted Thy Divine Passion" (From J. Stainer's Crucifixion).

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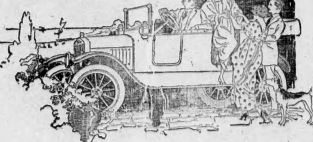
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Solving British Labor Problems

London.—With the feature of direct action by the trade unions in balloting a strike removed, and the prospect of a speedy resumption of work in the Yorkshire coalfields, the labor situation is distinctly improved. According to George Nicol Barnes, the labor representative in the war cabinet, the labor situation gradually is becoming more normal and the nation is to be congratulated in having gone thus far along the trouble road. Unemployment, Mr. Barnes added, was down to half the figure of last May, and the workers generally were showing a desire to avoid extreme and illegal measures to obtain their desires. Premier Lloyd George is said to be particularly pleased with the way things are going, and his promised statement to parliament, defining the government's trade policy, is being awaited with great interest.

Taking Some Action In U.S.

Grocer Fined \$500 For Selling Sugar At 15 Cents Per Pound.

Washington.—Important new developments in the government's fight to reduce the high cost of living have now been made public.

One of the most interesting was the announcement by Attorney General Palmer that the first federal conviction for profiteering had been obtained. District Attorney Lacey telegraphed from Birmingham, N.Y., that a retail grocer had been fined \$500 for selling sugar at 15 cents a pound. No details were given and the law under which the case was brought was not known here.

"A few good cases of profiteering in each state will settle that trouble," Mr. Palmer remarked. In order to bring to book persons guilty of raising prices exorbitantly or hoarding food to advance prices, Mr. Palmer submitted to the agriculture committee of congress the draft of an amendment to the Food Control act extending its provisions to include containers of foods and feeds, and providing a penalty of \$5,000 fine or two years' imprisonment or both for violation of the law.

Use Secret Service.

Washington.—President Wilson has asked congress to authorize him to use the secret service in running down profiteers and food hoarders.

Farmers Give Opinion Before Wheat Board

Winipeg.—The Canadian wheat board says it hopes to be in a position to make public the plans and regulations for the handling of the 1919 wheat crop some time this week.

"In the meantime," the board says in its statement, "the farmers are enduring hardship to the producer, the Canadian wheat board suggests that, temporarily, farmers should deliver their wheat to the elevator and obtain storage tickets therefor. The elevator companies or banks will undoubtedly make satisfactory advances against these storage tickets. When later the regulations and methods in connection with the pooling system are known, the farmers can convert the storage tickets issued by the elevator companies into cash tickets and secure the initial payment, as fixed by the board, and receipts enabling them to obtain participation certificates at a later date."

What might be construed as a veiled threat on the part of the farmers to go on strike if the government fixes the initial price of wheat at anything less than the \$2.26 guarantee for the wheat raised in the United States to its producers, was made by J. K. McLennan, representing the United Farmers of Ontario, at the open session of the Canadian Wheat board in the Winnipeg Grain Exchange.

"We are facing a short crop," he said. "If the \$1.75 initial price rules, we may find the crop returns still shorter. Strikes are popular and the farmers might be inclined to catch on. The farmers are cross already."

The board room was packed to the doors with the representatives of various interests, including millers, bakers, consumers, farmers, grain growers and board officials. James Stewart, chairman of the board, presided. The meeting was called for the purpose of ascertaining the will of those interested in the handling

of the wheat. It is asserted that Lloyd George will undertake that the admiralty, like the war office, shall make sweeping reductions in its estimates.

The minister of labor announces that a proposal is being considered in the interest of the general community, providing for the introduction of legislation making strikes and lockouts illegal unless one week's notice in writing is given to enable an enquiry into the situation causing discord and an attempt at its settlement.

This program, it is said, will be stoutly resisted by a large portion of the laborers.

The Yorkshire miners are not all willing to resume work. Ten thousand of them in the Pontefract district voted against resuming work, and it is said that in other districts the miners have not yet reached a decision as to whether they will return to their laborers.

To Aid Admiral Kolchak

Material Is Being Rushed to Vladivostok by the United States.

Washington.—Material aid for Admiral Kolchak's retreating army in Siberia is being rushed to Vladivostok by the United States. It was said officially that 45,000 rifles and several million rounds of ammunition already had been sent from San Francisco, and that additional equipment was being forwarded this week on an army transport.

The amount of material ordered to Siberia was not disclosed but was said to be "very large" and to include motor vehicles and medical supplies, as well as rifles and ammunition.

The original consignment was materially increased after the recent reverse of Kolchak's army, it was said.

Feeding 20,000 Children.

Paris.—The American relief administration began the task of feeding 20,000 children in Budapest as part of its plan to give food to the children of Central Europe, it was announced. It was said this did not involve a general relaxation of the food blockade against Hungary.

A Vienna despatch received from London announced the Allies had lifted the blockade against Hungary. There has been no formal announcement of this by the supreme council.

A resolution from grain growers and marketing of the 1919 grain crop of Canada, as well as that of the general public.

Other outstanding features of the meeting were:

An emphatic denial from the chairperson that the price had been fixed by the government at \$1.75; he declared that such a price had not even been considered.

A resolution from grain growers and Little Sisters strongly condemning and denouncing the scheme as impracticable and unsound economics and demanding that if the government is determined to handle the 1919 wheat crop that the same price be set for last year's crop.

A violent attack on ocean freight rates by J. K. McLennan. He declared that now costs 60 cents to get a bushel of wheat across the Atlantic, in comparison with six cents for pre-war years. Eighteen cents was the highest price justifiable, he said.

A further statement was made by Mr. McLennan that "there are heavy millers, big grain men and freight men in this country who are taking advantage of their positions to rake in big sums of money."

An incident of interest was made by almost all speakers that if an open market is denied the farmers and the government plan of handling the wheat is carried out, that the initial price be not made less than that of \$2.26, now ruling in the United States.

R. B. Murray, of the United Grain Growers, thought the only way to arrive at a fair price for the farmers was to carry them the price obtained on the open world market. Otherwise nothing less than the \$2.26 of the United States should be set. If the government must have cheap bread, he added, in fairness let it come through a government bonus rather than at the expense of the farmers.

Allied Success In North Russia

Good News of Contest With Bolsheviks on Russian Front.

London.—Six Bolshevik battalions were destroyed in a successful Anglo-Russian attack on the Divina river on August 10, the war office has announced. More than 1,000 prisoners, 12 field guns and many machine guns were captured. The Anglo-Russian force, which had been pushed forward 12 miles. The official statement reads:

"In North Russia, Anglo-Russian forces, on August 10, attacked the Bolsheviks on the Divina with great success. All the objectives were gained. Six enemy battalions were destroyed, the troops being either killed, captured or dispersed. More than 1,000 prisoners, 12 field guns and many machine guns were captured. Our line on the Divina was advanced 12 miles to Thadivova and Berek."

Curb Profiteering In Britain

Amendment Passed British House Empowering the Board of Trade To Fix Prices.

London.—The house of commons, after heated debate, adopted an amendment to the profiteering bill, empowering the board of trade, after investigation, to fix wholesale and retail prices. The vote was 132 to 85.

The amendment was denounced, among others, by Lord Robert Cecil, former minister of war trade, who expressed amusement that the government, in the name of profiteering, was destroying the whole basis of the bill and revolutionizing the law of the country. Sir Donald Maclean, a Liberal member, also denounced the amendment, characterizing it as "rank socialism of the most undignified kind."

In the course of the discussion on the bill, Sir Auckland Geddes, minister for national service and reconstruction, indicated that the bill would empower the board of trade to fix prices in a case where the community was likely to be benefited by such action, or where, for international, for the purpose of increasing prices. An amendment seeking to include profiteering in rents within the scope of the bill was rejected.

Ferdinand's Millions

Seizure of Securities Will Not Altergo Ruler the Ex-Monarch.

Geneva.—The seizure in England of securities belonging to former King Ferdinand of Bulgaria, valued at \$2,000,000, will not alter ruler the ex-monarch, according to reliable information obtained here.

It is said that Ferdinand took the end of 1914 took the precaution of placing his fortune abroad, mostly in foreign countries. Swiss banks, for instance, are said to hold stocks and bonds belonging to Ferdinand, valued at nearly a million pounds sterling.

Large sums were also placed in Hungary where Ferdinand is now a fugitive with his family.

To Prosecute Bela Kun.

Copenhagen.—The Hungarian public prosecutor has issued an announcement that proceedings will be begun against all individuals charged with crimes during the Bela Kun dictatorship, and that steps have already been taken for their arrest and extradition, according to advices from Budapest.

Another announcement says that it is intended to prosecute Bela Kun and his associates for murder, robbery and forgery.

To Combat High Cost of Living.

Copenhagen.—The government has issued a decree to set up all military and labor organizations in a fight for the reduction of the high cost of living was suggested in a letter from the Order of Railway Conductors, division 691, considered at a meeting of the Army and Navy Ministers last night from the government was unanimously adopted, and a committee was appointed to co-operate.

Prince's Visit to U.S. Is Unknown.

Ottawa.—Nothing is known as yet at to whether the prince of Wales is likely to visit the United States or the duration of his stay in that country. No decision will be reached in regard to the matter until later, but it is certain that the prince cannot leave Canada until the conclusion of his Canadian tour.

Rome.—The Italian troops attached to the allied expeditionary force in the north have been ordered to march on August 9. The Italian military commission accompanied the troops.

British Ambassador To U.S.

Viscount Grey Has Accepted the New Post Temporarily.

London.—Viscount Grey, former chief secretary of state for foreign affairs, has agreed to represent the British government at Washington, pending the appointment of a permanent ambassador.

Viscount Grey of Faldoen (Sir Edward Grey) comes to the United States to represent the British government after a brilliant career as head of the British foreign office. For eleven years, prominent in the political affairs of Europe, he was secretary of state for foreign affairs, from December 11, 1905, to December 11, 1916. Owing to several occasions during that period, it was the initiative of Sir Edward Grey that caused the gathering clouds of war to dissipate. It is he who made the last effort to prevent the great European war when he urged the ambassadors of the leading powers to meet and discuss the situation in an attempt to put off hostilities. His effort failed through the attitude of the German government and the German emperor.

Gladstone, under whom Sir Edward served in his younger days, described him as:

"I never knew in a man such depth for political life and such discrimination for it."

Since his retirement from the foreign office, Viscount Grey has been living in retirement in Northumberland. The in the domestic sphere he began to trouble him in 1918 and at one time it was reported he was to be totally blind. This report was exaggerated, but the viscount has difficulty in reading, although his eye trouble has improved somewhat.

General Currie Is Defended

Official Says Criticism for Canadian Losses at Passchendaele Not Warranted.

Kington, Ont.—Speaking at the banquet tendered to the visiting delegates to the convention of Union of Canadian Municipalities, General Sir Arthur Currie, commander of the Royal Military Corps, defended General Sir Arthur Currie from the criticism leveled at him because of the losses suffered by the Canadians at Passchendaele.

General MacDonell, "the man who took Hill 70," said he was present when Sir Douglas Haig told General Currie to take Passchendaele, and the Canadians took it after the attack. The others were intimates of the family.

Referring to the Canadian casualties, he spoke in a manner which, according to figures recently published, the Canadians suffered the lowest percentage of losses and made the highest percentage of gains.

Another speaker was Mayor Hardie, Leithbridge, who declared for a middle course on the liquor question, neither too wet nor too dry.

Must Leave Dominion

Schoppelei Ordered Deported By the Immigration Board of Inquiry.

Winipeg.—Oscar Schoppelei, branded as an undesirable alien, and deported by the immigration board of inquiry, must leave Canada. The Manitoba court of appeal refused to grant an application made by counsel in Schoppelei's behalf that the deportation order be annulled and all proceedings quashed.

The high court in its written judgment found that the order for Schoppelei's deportation was based on two grounds: first, that he had come into the country "by misrepresentation"; and secondly, that he had refused to answer certain questions put to him by officers. The court said that under section 23 of the immigration act he had no jurisdiction to interfere.

Six Months On Ice Floor.

Edmonton.—Six months after an ice day in the Arctic, the government has decided to send a party from all civilisation by miles of deep water, such was the experience of Storker T. Storker, who arrived in the city last night from his expedition to the north. Observations of great scientific value were made during the party on the ice floor, but these will not be fully discussed until Storker meets his chief, Steffensen in Banff next Saturday and prepares his full report.

Conference of Bishops.

Atlantic City, N. J.—Following that a revision of fleeing against prohibition can be concentrated for the repeal of the liquor statutes, the bishops of the nation have agreed to hold a conference here for September 28. The meeting will continue a week.

Harvesters Coming From The East

Henry Ford Won Verdict

Is Awarded Six Cents Damages Against the Chicago Tribune.

Mount Clemens, Mich.—A jury awarded Henry Ford six cents damages against the Chicago Tribune for calling him an anarchist.

O'Key Houten, foreman of the jury, said that they took "nine ballots that I can remember," the first one, according to Leonard Meador, another juror, standing 8 to 4 in favor of awarding Mr. Ford some damages.

"Does the award of six cents above express the feelings of the jury as to the case?" a reporter asked Mr. Houten.

"It just about does. That expresses our judgment."

Attorney Alfred J. Murphy, for Mr. Ford, said: "The important issue in the case has been determined favorably to the plaintiff. He has won vindicated."

"Money damages were entirely subordinate and were not sought by Mr. Ford. He stands not only vindicated but his attitude as an American citizen has been justified after a trial which raised every issue against him which ingenuity and research could present. His friends are entirely satisfied."

Weymouth Kirkland, one of the counsel for the Tribune, said: "We consider it a victory for the reason that Attorney Alfred Lucking, in closing for Mr. Ford, stated that any substantial damages would be a defeat for his client."

Funeral Of Late Andrew Carnegie

Service Was As Simple As Were the Tastes and Habits of the Man In Life.

Lennox, Mass.—The funeral of Andrew Carnegie was held at St. Andrew's church, his summer home in the Berkshires. There was no eulogy and there were no pall bearers. The service was as simple as were the tastes and habits of the man in life. Fully one half of the sixty persons present were members of the household. The others were intimates of the family.

The ritual of the Presbyterian church was used. The officiating clergyman, Dr. W. M. Pierson, minister of the Brick Presbyterian church, Fifth avenue, New York.

A mixed quartet from this church sang the three hymns which have been favorites of the philanthropist and former iron master.

Interment was made in a lot chosen by Mr. Carnegie some years ago at Sleepy Hollow, near Tarrytown, N.Y.

"Bavarian Free State."

Copenhagen.—A despatch from Bamberg, under date of Tuesday, said that the Bavarian diet had adopted a constitution for the "Bavarian free state." There were three dissenting votes. A Socialist amendment to the constitution, abolishing all titles of nobility, was rejected.

Poverty is no disgrace, but it's a mighty good excuse for heading off a borrower.

Board To Deal With High Cost Of Living

Ottawa.—The Canadian board of commerce has been officially constituted.

Judge H. A. Robson, chairman, and W. F. O'Connor, K.C., former chief of living commissioner, as second member, and these two gentlemen have had a conference with the government and have already started work. Judge Robson has arrived in Ottawa and shortly afterward met members of the government. The third member of the board, it is expected, will be named within a couple of days.

The board will act under the Combines and Fair Prices act and is given power to institute investigations on its own motion or at the request of ministers or other responsible persons bringing matters to the notice of the board.

When seen by the Canadian Press, limited, Judge Robson was emphatic in his statement that there would be no tax and formalities attached to the working of the board. "This is to be a people's court," he declared, "and to be so it must be free to approach. Any bona fide citizen may approach it."

Winipeg.—A Rush of men from the east for the harvest fields of the west has started in earnest. Eighteen thousand have been asked for by the farmers, 7,000 of them had reached the city, which is the chief distributing center. Over 6,000 traveled by the Canadian Pacific railways. The remainder came on the Canadian National, reaching the Union depot Thursday evening. Over 2,000 are expected at the Union depot Friday, while the Canadian Pacific is also running several trains.

Special arrangements had been made by the railway companies for the speedy despatch of the excursionists to their various destinations. Two long trains, heavily loaded with the harvest help, were sent west during the day, one in the morning and the other toward midnight, while a number of trains left the city on local trains for points in Manitoba.

Officials of the Manitoba and Saskatchewan governments, detailed for the purpose, are busy in posting the harvesters, had an extremely busy day, for they booked 2,400 men, one-half of this number being from the United States and the other half for the harvest fields of Saskatchewan.

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Problems Of Two Countries

Persistent Question Asked In British House of Commons Regarding U. S. Affairs.

London.—In the house of commons, the Hon. Walter F. Guinness, member for Suffolk, asked Andrew Bonar Law, the British premier, to give the day's discussion over to the present position of the black races, but his request was refused. The question responded by asking whether it would not be a graceful act of reciprocity to place at the disposal of the United States the benefit of his experience in governing negroes in return for the disclosure of Irish affairs in the United States senate.

Captain William Wedgwood Benn, Liberal member for Leith asked Mr. Bonar Law to do his best to prevent efforts to force a permanent loan from Great Britain and America by alleged hungry questions.

On a Little Visit.

Berlin.—With the permission of the Dutch government, the former emperor and empress of Austria spent several days with his wife and children at Soden, Prussia, and accompanied them part of the way back to Potsdam, according to the newspaper.

The newspaper adds that Frederick William has now returned to Holland.

Hungary Seeks Loan.

Berlin.—A group of Hungarian bankers are endeavoring to obtain a loan for the new government at Budapest, according to despatches received here, the government having been unable to borrow the 1,500,000 crowns sought from Austro-Hungarian banks.

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No Monarchy for Hungary.

Berlin. — Archduke Joseph, head of the new Hungarian government, has issued a proclamation in which he affirms that there will be no return to the monarchical system, according to the Tagblatt's correspondent at Budapest.

Previously the officers and students had proclaimed the archduke king and it was to effect this that he reiterated his loyalty to the republic.

One on Teacher.

Teacher: There is not anything that has three feet. Everything has either two or four feet.

Tommy: I know two things that get three feet.

Teacher: What are they, Tommy?

Tommy: A yard and a three-legged stool.

About Beans

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British Labor Will Not Act

District Branches Refused To Issue Ballots For Referendum.

London. — Direct action proposed by British Labor's triple alliance in the form of a referendum on political subjects, is said by the Evening News to have been killed by the refusal of the transport workers' federation to take part in it. The newspaper said the federation had decided to have nothing to do with the movement and that its district branches had refused to issue ballots for the referendum.

The triple alliance is composed of the railways, transport workers and miners. The alliance on July 23 decided to take a vote of its members on Labor's political demands, including conscription, Russian intervention, the release of conscientious objectors and the use of the military in labor disputes.

So Tactless.

She: I would you be very miserable if I went away for a long holiday?

He: No, darling, certainly not.

She: Oh, you wouldn't, would you? Well, then I won't go.

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Seventy-Five Per Cent. Wheat Cut.

Regina. — Harvesting is well advanced, according to reports received by the department of agriculture. Some districts report 90 per cent. of the wheat crop cut, while others estimate a third. It is estimated that 75 per cent. of the wheat crop of the province is cut, with 25 per cent. of the early season crop. Threshing will be gone before the end of the month.

Lachute, Que., 25th Sept. 1908.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited, Gentlemen:—Ever since coming home from the Boer war I have been bothered with running fever sores on my legs. I tried many salves and liniments, all directed continuously for the blood, but got no permanent relief, all last winter when my doctor got me to try MINARD'S LINIMENT. The effect of which was almost magical. Two bottles completely cured me and I have not been troubled since.

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Controller Will Not Give Way.

London. — There is apparently going to be a fight to a finish in the strike of the 200,000 Yorkshire miners. The coal controller told the men's leaders it was impossible to concede their demands. To do so, he said, would mean a strike in every coal field in the country for similar concessions.

No further conference with a view of arriving at a settlement have been arranged. It is believed the strikers' funds will only last another fortnight. Already a quarter of a million pounds sterling have been spent in strike pay.

China At Peace With Germany.

Peking. — Parliament passed a resolution authorizing the president to issue a declaration declaring that a state of war does not exist between China and Germany. It is considered doubtful whether the mandate to the published will delegates have discussed terms with German representatives.

German Exactions Against Hollanders

Forced To Pay Five Years' Advance Income Tax.

Rotterdam, Holland. — Much light is thrown upon the conditions which prevail in Germany by the story related by a prominent Hollander upon the occasion of his recent return from that country. His wife is a German, and he has considerable interests in Germany, where he remained during the war. Wishing to return to Holland, he was not permitted by the government to do so until he had paid five years' advance income tax, as a security that he would return, calculated on the average yearly income tax paid during the past five years. The advance income tax paid by this Hollander amounted to 270,000 marks.

Since, he says, are very dear in Germany, a pair that he bought for his wife costing him 500 marks. The government has placed a maximum price on foodstuffs. The large farms are controlled by the wealthy men of the country, and they have refused to sell their farm products at the maximum prices. Foodstuffs are now scarcer than during the war. The most obtainable has to be scraped before using, because it is so bad. Fresh meat is difficult to get, and a great amount of salt meat is used. A cold chicken, which could be bought in Holland for 10 cents, would sell for 15 marks in Germany.

Donskie Captures War Material.

Donskie. — General Donskie's advance is continuing along the greater part of the southern Russian front against considerable Bolshevik resistance, the war office announced.

Kamshian, which was taken on July 28, yielded 11,000 prisoners, 600 machine guns and an immense amount of war material. It was added.

For Asthma and Catarrh. — It is one of the chief recommendations of the medical profession to use internally with as much success as it can outwardly. Sufferers from asthma and catarrh will find that the Oil which used according to the directions will give them relief. Many sufferers from these ailments have found relief in the Oil and have sent testimonials.

Road Work for Farmers.

Edmonton. — Relief to farmers who have been hit by the drought will be given in the form of a program of road work, on which many who cannot leave home for work in other parts of the country will be employed.

It is the intention of the public works department to discharge a considerable part of its regular road crews, and to change its road-making program for the year in such a way as to provide employment for the farmers. This policy has been adopted, according to Fred Stewart, in preference to any scheme of food distribution or similar relief, and is regarded by the government as likely to prove sufficient to meet the situation during the summer and fall months.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

Jap Arsenal Workers May Strike.

Tokio. — A committee representing 24,000 Japanese Government armaments of Tokio petitioned the government for an increase in wages ranging from 20 to 50 per cent. If their demands are not granted, it was stated that a strike would be called.

As four thousand persons were leaving the armaments the guards closed the gates because the men had not formed in line as usual. The workmen forced the gates and in the clash fifteen persons were injured.

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Will Start Indians' Home

Port Arthur, Ont. — A supervised home for old destitute and sick Indians is being established by the Dominion government on the reserve at Grand Bay, south-west shore of Lake Nipigon. The home is the result of recommendations by Indian Agent Brown, who has found it a great necessity, especially since the influenza epidemic, on account of the inability of the Indians to care for themselves under attacks of tuberculosis.

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Attempt To Seize Ship

Crews Placed Mine-Sweepers Abrast To Block Harbor.

Rotterdam, Holland. — News has been received at Rotterdam, from an officer of an American cargo ship, of an attempt by the German Bolsheviks to seize his ship while it was at anchor in the harbor on May 20. The crews of the government mine-sweepers, in an effort to aid the Bolsheviks, placed the mine-sweepers abreast to block the harbor, so that the cargo ship, which they wanted to seize, could not leave the port. The government mine-sweepers succeeded in getting this ship out of the harbor. On the previous evening, after the foodstuff cargo from this ship had been placed in storage houses, the Bolsheviks endeavored unsuccessfully to obtain possession of it. The mine-sweepers then placed a good deal of shooting between the Bolsheviks and the government forces, and damage was done to buildings in the center of the city by the Bolsheviks. The government forces finally succeeded in getting affairs in hand.

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Taking No Advantage.

Pat and Murphy had both fallen in love with the same woman, and the only way of settling their feud appeared to be by means of a duel.

Pistols were agreed upon—at 20 paces.

Murphy, being exceedingly stout, seated an unfair advantage in favor of his very lean rival.

"Bred," he said, "I'm twice as big a target as he is, so I ought to have been as far away from him as he is from me."

Pat's second 'saw the point at once.

"That's true for ye," he agreed. "But there's no need for ye to move further away. I'll put the matter further."

Taking a piece of chalk from his pocket he drew two chalk lines down the stout man's coat, leaving a space between them. "Now," he said to him, "I'll take the range of the target to his opponent, 'fire away,' ye spalpeen, and remember that any hits outside the chalk line don't count as hits."

To reach the top get some out of the rut and then climb.

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Department of Agriculture Supplying Rye Seed

The farmers of Southern Al-
berta, whose crops have been
reduced by drought, will be
glad to know that the Depart-
ment of Agriculture is making
provision for Fall Rye Seed in
the same way as advances
of seed grain were made last
spring. The department is
looking after the unorganised
areas while the municipal de-
partment authorising action on
the part of municipalities in
the same way as was done last
spring. A maximum of twenty-
five bushels of seed can be ac-
quired. Those who can afford
to purchase this seed can do
business directly with the Do-
minion Seed Branch, at Calgary
without the assistance of the
Department of Agriculture or
municipalities. Others who re-
quire credit, can secure their
seed through the Seed Branch,
at Edmonton. The Department
of Agriculture takes a note
which runs until November 1,
1920. The note is protected by
a lien on the land. The price
of the seed is 2.20 per bushel.
The furnishing of this seed is
subject to the holding out of
the supply at the Dominion
Seed Branch at Calgary.

The Minister of Agriculture
has been urging the sowing of
Fall Rye, especially in a dry
season. The supply of both
native grasses and roughage
from grain crops is reduced in
dry seasons and quick crops
are needed for both hay and
pasture. If rye is sown in
July or August it furnishes feed
during the autumn and is a
crop that is ready for grazing
again early in the spring as
soon as the snow goes away.
It can be grazed up until near-
ly the middle of June if the
season is not too dry and can
then be left to ripen for grain
or can be immediately cut for
hay. The crop is a highly ben-

eficial and profitable crop in
any kind of season and
throughout the province. Be-
sides its value for forage, it is
useful as a green crop to plow
down and is also useful to hold
the land against blowing. Much
of the land in Southern Alberta
has been subject to frequent
cultivation and is now so fine
that when it becomes dry it
blows badly. The rye prevents
this in both tall and spring.
It's being established at the
opening of spring also saves it
from being affected by drought
in July to the same extent as
spring crops are. It is one of
the best and most profitable
crops that can be grown, and
farmers should take advantage
of this crop, especially on areas
or in seasons of light precipita-
tion. The recent rains have
made conditions good for the
quick germination of this crop.
It can be planted well into Sep-
tember, but is better by the
middle of July for fall pasture.

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R. M. Henderson, left on Sat-
urday morning's train, for
Quebec, where he will visit for
a few days with Mrs. Hender-
son's people. He was accom-
panied by his son, Welland.

Miss Margaret Sharp, return-
ed on Monday from Calgary,
where she has been attending
business college. It is under-
stood that she will take a posi-
tion in one of the local banks.

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A trip into the district south of the Saskatchewan river on Monday, acquainted us with the fact that practically every farmer is using a header to cut his wheat, or has a header attachment on his binder. The headers are put into neat stacks. The only stacks to be seen are composed of oat sheaves. Appearances indicate a much better

crop than has recently been anticipated.

Mrs. Geo. Durk and family, who have been holidaying with relatives at Loverna, during the past month, returned the first of the week.

Another Board of Trade Secretary arrived in town on Friday last. We welcome him to our town.

Mrs. Harvey Johnson of Oyen, spent Monday and Tuesday as the guest of Miss M. E. Peers. She returned home Tuesday evening.

Wheat Price, \$2.15 a bushel at Fort William. Should the Government receive a larger price, the farmer is supposed to share in the surplus, according to plan previously made public.

Private A. York, who enlisted at Lacombe, in 1916, as N.C.O., arrived at his parents home here, Mr. and Mrs. Alex York's, on Saturday. He has just arrived from overseas and was accompanied by his wife, an English bride, whom he married at Drayton, England. He saw much active service, and was wounded at Paschendale and also at Vimy Ridge. We are pleased to join our citizens in their welcome to Mr. and Mrs. A. York, jr.

A number of our townsmen are reported to have been out early Saturday morning mushrooming.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brookes-Avey, who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Anderson for two weeks, returned to their home at Hanna, Alta., on Saturday last.

Jimmy Hughes opened his shoe-repairing store on Saturday, in the building formerly occupied by the Great War Veterans. His advt. appears elsewhere in this issue.

Free dance, in C. W. Dawdy's new pool room (Dairy Lunch building.) Friday, August 29, is the date. Best of music. This is your invitation. Don't forget the place, next to "Bill" Brodie's store. This dance is given to commemorate the opening of the new pool hall.

Sgt. Wilson Hughes, arrived on Saturday, and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hughes. He carries his right arm in a plaster cast, having recently undergone a third medical operation on this limb.

C. W. Dawdy has leased the Dairy Lunch premises, and is having a 24 - foot addition erected to the present building. It is his intention to turn the structure into a first-class billiard hall.

Roadmaster and Mrs. S. T. Brown left Wednesday morning for Chatter, Man., five miles east of Brandon, to which point on the C. P. R. Mr. Brown has been transferred. Mrs. Brown's Sunday School Class and a number of friends were at the depot to bid them good-bye.

Manager E. L. Kenny, of the local Bank of Commerce, has received word that work on the erection of their new bank building is to be commenced immediately.

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"I'll buy him back in the mornin',"
"I will, sure as hell," he said in a sudden gust of emotion. "We got to stick together. I didn't play fair with him, but I'll buy him back. Perhaps I can get a job for him, too,

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Sir John Hunter Says Contractors Paid Padded Pay Roll.

London. — Sir John Hunter, director of factory construction and steel production under the Ministry of Munitions, in the course of testimony before an investigating committee on national expenditure said that in the erection of works for the army ministry, no man employed had declared the money he received.

These men numbered 700,000, he declared, and in some cases wages were drawn regularly and charged to the government for men who did not exist. Sir John added that he had found a conspiracy between government men and contractors, saying some of them were arrested but the crown declined to prosecute them.

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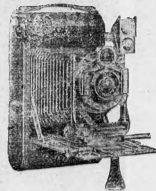
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Mr. A. York, jr., left for Olds, on Tuesday, on a business trip. Mr. Kreller, of Newstead, Ont. was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Lane, on Tuesday.

H. Huddleston, was in town on Monday, renewing acquaintances with old friends.

Mrs. D. N. MacCharles, and son, "Pat," were the visitors of friends, in Alask, last week.

S. T. Brown, and daughter, Cora and Jean, left for Winnipeg, on Saturday. Mr. Brown returned Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Yoe and Mr. and Mrs. Hume Pingle, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Johnston over Sunday.

Finishing touches are now being added to the interior of the new Union Bank building, which is ready for occupancy as soon as the new furniture arrives.

The bathing beach on the Saskatchewan River is becoming a very popular resort. On Sunday last, besides those present from town, a number of cars from Alask were there, and their occupants enjoyed the bathing and picnicked in the shade of the trees.

In a recent list of Alberta Grade VIII pupils who were successful in the Entrance Examinations, appear the names of Lilian Hayes and Kathleen Sexton. Whether there are further lists to appear, concerning this grade, is not at present known.

John Sharp, who has been working with an elevator repairer for the Lake of the Woods Milling Co., returned Saturday. John reports that the best crop he saw while away, were in the North of Regina districts. He estimates that some of the crop there will go as high as forty bushels to the acre.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Johnston, made an auto trip to Medicine Hat, on Monday, returning Tuesday.

P. H. McNiel, left on Sunday, for Calgary and High River, for a few days. He expects to return to Toronto for the study of dentistry.

J. Daem, formerly roadmaster over the Bassano-Empress Division of the C.P.R. has taken the place of Roadmaster Brown on the Empress-Swift Current division. Mr. Daem is a married man and his wife and family are at present residing at Revelstoke, B.C. S. S. Sjoberg, who formerly had charge of the Coronation division, is now in charge at Bassano.

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TAX ENFORCEMENT RETURN NOTICE

In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Municipal District of Acadia No. 241.

Take notice that the Tax Enforcement Return of the Municipal District of Acadia No. 241 will be submitted for confirmation to the presiding Judge of the District Court of the District of Calgary at the sitting of the Court to be held in Oyen, Alta., on Thursday, the 6th day of November, 1919.

Dated at Acadia Valley, Alta., this 10th day of July, 1919.

D. M. GRAHAM,
Secretary-Treasurer,
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